

Attachment to Independent Case Review Report  
For CDRU #6321 Case file #95-244137.

Material Examiner: Malone (RQ)

Remarks:

Case resulted in a trial, testimony transcript not provided.

# INDEPENDENT CASE REVIEW REPORT

Independent Review conducted by: Steve Robertson

Area(s) of Expertise: Hair and Fiber

Review commenced at: 12:30 PM (Time), 12/04/03 (Date)

File #: 95-244137

Laboratory #(s): 10630100

10811060

20714017

## Examiner(s) & Symbols

|                   | Reviewed                            | Not Reviewed                        |         | Reviewed                 | Not Reviewed             |
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## Materials Reviewed

Trial testimony transcript(s) of: None

Testimony Date(s):  Pages:

## Laboratory Report(s):

Laboratory Number: 10630100 Date: July 22, 1981

Laboratory Number: 10630100, 10811060 Date: Sept. 16, 1981

Laboratory Number: 20714017 Date: July 22, 1982

Examiner Bench Notes of: RQ

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Was any other material reviewed? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please identify and/or describe the material: submitting agency letters dated 6/29/81, 8/11/81 and 7/14/82.

### Results of Review

File #: 95-244137 Item or Specimen # Reviewed: Q1-Q7, Q15-Q20, K1-K4, Q21-Q26, K6-K8

#### Review of Laboratory Report(s) and Bench Notes:

Note: Numbered comments are required below or on additional pages for any "No" or "Unable to Determine" Responses

- 1) Did the examiner perform the appropriate tests in a scientifically acceptable manner, based on the methods, protocols, and analytic techniques available at the time of the original examination(s)?  
☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unable to Determine
- 2) Are the examination results set forth in the laboratory report(s) supported and adequately documented in the bench notes?  
☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Unable to Determine

#### Review of Testimony:

Note: Numbered comments are required below or on additional pages for any "No" or "Unable to Determine" Responses

☒ Transcript not available.

- 3) Testimony consistent with the laboratory report(s)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unable to Determine
- 4) Testimony consistent with the bench notes? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unable to Determine
- 5) Testimony within bounds of examiner's expertise? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unable to Determine

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### Comments

(Set forth by above question #, if applicable.  
Use "Additional Comments" Sheet, if needed)

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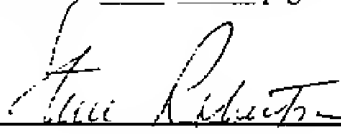
#1: With microscopic hair comparison, one cannot determine from the notes that the examination was conducted in a scientifically acceptable manner.

#2. The results are not adequately documented in the notes. The notes are not dated and are in pencil instead of ink. Abbreviations are used that are hard to interpret. There is documentation that hairs were recovered from suspect Green's clothing, but there is no documentation that hairs were recovered from the victim's items. Documentation is lacking that explains if the examiner looked only for Negroid hairs on Q1-Q4 or if there were other hairs on them. If other hairs were detected, then one must wonder if they are the victim's hairs.

Review completed at: 1:15 PM (Time), 12/04/03 (Date)

Total time spent conducting review (to nearest 1/4 hour): 0.75 hrs.

I hereby certify that I conducted this review in an independent, unbiased manner and that the results of my review are fully documented on this report consisting of a total of 3 pages.



(Signature)

Dec. 4, 2003

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